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APP CLEAVING ENZYME (BACE)

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PETITION FOR FOUR-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated April 3, 2007, be extended for four months to and including October 3, 2007.

Enclosed is a check for \$1640 for the required fee. Please apply any other charges or credits to Deposit Account No. 06-1050.

Respectfully submitted,

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